

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
**RU-0075**

In Re Application Of: **Anderson et al.**



Serial No. <b>09/181,601</b>	Filing Date <b>October 29, 1998</b>	Examiner <b>J. Fredman</b>	Group Art Unit <b>1655</b>
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**LINKING GENE SEQUENCE TO GENE FUNCTION BY THREE DIMENSIONAL (3D)  
 PROTEIN STRUCTURE DETERMINATION**

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**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 23, 2001 in the above-identified application.

*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months       Five months

from: October 24, 2001      *Date*      until: January 23, 2002      *Date*

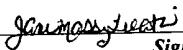
A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- is enclosed.  
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is **\$405** and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-1619**  
 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  
 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1619**      A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: **January 4, 2002**



*Signature*

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- 2) Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity);
- 3) Return Post Card; and
- 4) Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$775.00.

*Jane Massey Licata*  
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